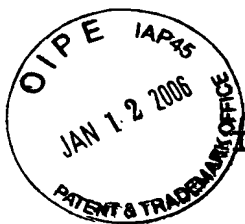


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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Randolph Building, Mail Stop AMENDMENT
401 Dulany Street
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Action dated October 14, 2005, kindly amend the above-identified Application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 16 of this paper.